

SUPREME COURT OF NEW JERSEY
D-131 September Term 2023
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In the Matter of :
Paul R. Rajan :
An Attorney at Law :
(Attorney No. 001681981) :

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This matter having been duly presented pursuant to Rule 1:20-10(b), following a granting of a motion for discipline by consent in DRB 24-105 of **Paul R. Rajan of Kendall Park**, who was admitted to the bar of this State in 1981;

And the Office of Attorney Ethics and respondent having signed a stipulation of discipline by consent in which the parties agreed that respondent violated RPC 1.15(a) (negligent misappropriation of client funds) and RPC 1.15(d) (failing to comply with the recordkeeping requirements of Rule 1:21-6), and that respondent's conduct warrants a censure or such lesser discipline as the Disciplinary Review Board deems appropriate;

And the Disciplinary Review Board having determined that respondent violated RPC 1.15(a) and RPC 1.15(d), and that a censure is the appropriate discipline for respondent's unethical conduct;

And the Disciplinary Review Board having granted the motion for discipline by consent in District Docket Nos. XIV-2020-0225E and VII-2021-0903E, and having submitted the record of the proceedings to the Clerk of the Supreme Court for the entry of an order of discipline in accordance with Rule 1:20-16(e);

And good cause appearing;

It is ORDERED that **Paul R. Rajan** is hereby censured, and it is further ORDERED that the entire record of this matter be made a permanent part of respondent's file as an attorney at law of this State; and it is further ORDERED that respondent reimburse the Disciplinary Oversight Committee for appropriate administrative costs and actual expenses incurred in the prosecution of this matter, as provided in Rule 1:20-17.

WITNESS, the Honorable Stuart Rabner, Chief Justice, at Trenton, this 13th day of August, 2024.


CLERK OF THE SUPREME COURT